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New Net Metering “System of Assurance” to Begin

The Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities (DPU) has adopted a new process to admit renewable energy projects for net metering purposes.

For net metering projects that have an interconnection service agreement and are about to begin construction, the state has developed a “System of Assurance” of Net Metering Eligibility. The “System of Assurance” will begin accepting applications on January 24, 2013. An application must be filed to secure a project's eligibility for net metering, which is a state incentive program that has a maximum cap. The System of Assurance will be implemented by the Cadmus Group, Inc. as an internet-based application process to be located at the website: www.massaca.org (live next week). Cadmus will provide support to applicants through the website, through a new electronic distribution list ("list-serv"), and through a web-based seminar ("webinar").

For details and important dates in January, please refer to the official DPU Memorandum ([click here](#)), and if you have questions, please contact the Hearing Officer at the contact information listed below:

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